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What Goes On

Thurs., July 4 - 7 p.m. July 4 Festivities, Concert Band, **8 p.m.** Tribute to "Desert Storm" Military Personnel **Dusk** - Fireworks (In event of rain, celebration will be held on the next fair night).
Sat., July 6, 9 a.m. - 11 a.m. and Mon., July 8, 9:30 - 10:30 a.m., 2nd Summer Daily Class Registration, Youth Center.

. . . And More

Mon., July 8, 8 p.m. Council Worksession with Board of Elections. Municipal Bldg.
Wed., July 10, 8 p.m. Council Worksession with Advisory Planning Board and Parks & Recreation Board on Parks Needs Assessment & Study by MNCPPC, Police Station.
Thurs., July 11, 8 p.m. Citizens for Greenbelt, Municipal Building

Committee Organizes For Labor Day Gala

by Sandy Smith

The 1991 Greenbelt Labor Day Festival will be held August 30 - September 2, but already the volunteer Festival Committee, which plans the festival, is hard at work. Meetings have been held, the budget set, and the steering committee and officers elected.

The Greenbelt Labor Day Festival, now in its 37th year, is a four-day community celebration which includes a carnival, continuous stage entertainment, special contests, athletic events, and a parade. The selection of Greenbelt's Outstanding Citizen, the Miss Greenbelt and Little Miss Greenbelt pageants and the Salute to Greenbelters at Work are highlights of the festival. The festival began, and continues, as an opportunity for fundraising and community involvement by the many community churches, civic groups, clubs, and organizations which sponsor booths, events, and activities during the festival. The theme of the festival is "Unity Through Community Involvement."

The festival is an all-volunteer effort. While the city provides the use of its grounds and a great deal of help from city staff, the festival's annual budget, including the parade and stage entertainment, is entirely dependent on contributions and proceeds from the carnival and midway. The 1991 budget projects income and expenses of $42,285. The bulk of the income is from contributions and donations, booth commissions, and carnival proceeds. The festival receives a small commission on the carnival booths and nets a modest return on the midway games and rides.

The festival spends small sums on each of the many activities, but the major expenses are the parade and stage entertainment. The costs associated with marching bands and specialty attractions for the parade have increased in recent years. The competition for parade attractions calls for Greenbelt's parade organizers to widen the search for parade bands and marching groups. Fees charged and costs of transportation are considerable.

Stage Entertainment

The stage entertainment is selected to appeal to all ages and tastes. Rock, popular, folk and ethnic sounds entertain the crowd all weekend. The stage performers attract Greenbelters, visitors and friends to the festival and thus generate the crowds which visit the community booths.

Festival Committee

The festival committee will be working with community groups, businesses and citizens throughout the city to plan and raise funds necessary for this year's festival. As important as funds are ideas for new events and improvements of the traditional aspects of the festival. Committee members need help in each area of the festival and invite those interested to call them.

The 1991 Festival Committee members are: Bobbi McCarthy, president, 474-5888; Mary Helen Spear, vice-president for facilities, 441-1063; Cathy Abbott, facilities co-chair, 474-2724; Perry King, treasurer, 345-3720; Mary Moien, secretary, 474-4713; Mary Ann Baker, entertainment, 474-1706; Sandy Smith, publicity, 474-6127; Michael Donkis, parade, 474-0702; Jim Maher (474-6589) and Alan Schultz (474-4038), donations; Wayne Williams, historian, 474-1259; Ken Blue, Art Show, 474-2007; Natasha Jewell, Miss Greenbelt Pageant, 345-0929; J Davis, Carnival, 345-3243; Tom Renahan, Outstanding Citizen, 474-1505; Cass Cooney, Opening Ceremonies, 474-7756; George Rogala, Rec. Dept. Liaison, 474-6878; Ray Smith, Pet Show, 474-6127; Ken Voigt, Sound, 345-8395; Jim Parker, Photo Exhibition, 345-9573; Cheri Gainor, Talent Show and Little Miss Greenbelt Pageant, 441-8589; Joan Jackson, Special Contests, 345-2029; Sue Schultz (441-1023) and Cass Cooney, Salute to Workers.

Park Plan Changes to Save Specimen Champion Trees

by Diane Oberg

Four specimen trees in Schrom Hills Park will be saved under plans described at the June 24 regular city council meeting. Council also approved a two-year renewal of the fire station lease which sets limits on the extent to which the facility can be used for gambling events.

Schrom Hills Park

At its last meeting, council learned that five specimen size trees had been found in Schrom Hills Park. One, a Chinese chestnut, was deemed too sick to save, However, the city has modified the park plans to save the other four and will seek to have two of them designated county champions.

The revised plans shift the soccer field 20 feet west and modify grading to save a Deodar Cedar with a 101-inch circumference. This equals the circumference of the state champion for this species. Two planned park buildings will be moved 20 feet north and the alle shortened by 20 feet to save a long-leaf pine. The pine's 60.5 inch circumference exceeds the state champion's girth by 4.5 inches.

A large landscaped island surrounding two large oaks will be maintained inside the parking lot, reducing by 12 the number of spaces to a total of 95.

Fire Station Lease

Council approved a two-year renewal of the lease of the fire station by the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad. The lease will limit the number of fundraising activities involving gambling to no more than eight events per year and no more than two in a given month. (Weekly bingo will still be permitted.)

In addition, the lease forbids workers at these events from accepting any sort of compensation and establishes residency and membership criteria for workers at the events. Gambling will be permitted only for fundraising by the fire department or other nonprofit organizations.

At the suggestion of absent Councilmember Joseph Isaacs, council modified the lease to give council the right to ban gambling completely if the fire department violates the lease restrictions. Isaacs called Acting City Manager Michael P. McLaughlin to point out that the

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V. Bowman is SHL Circulation Manager

The new circulation manager for the News Review in Springhill Lake is Valerie Bowman. A resident of Greenbelt for two years, Bowman lives with her 5-year-old daughter Kristen who attends Springhill Lake Elementary School.

Any problems with delivery of the newspaper in Springhill Lake should be reported to Bowman, 345-0362.

Council, Citizens See Plans For Senior Housing Project

by Sandy Smith

The Greenbelt City Council heard a presentation on the cooperative senior housing project proposed to be located adjacent to Center School, the site of Greenbelt's Community Center. Alan Lockman, vice president of architecture for Greenhorne and O'Mara, and Sharon Foster, a planner with that firm, made the presentation using composite photographs to illustrate how the senior housing would look in its proposed setting.

Jim Cassels heads the group urging the city to provide the land for the 8-story structure to be built on the library parking lot. He cited numerous reasons for creating the senior cooperative housing, chief of which was to enable senior citizens to remain in Greenbelt when they can't or don't want to maintain an individual home.

Pros and Cons

A number of citizens spoke in support or against the housing proposal in general, while others addressed the perceived advantages or disadvantages of this particular site. Cassels outlined the proposal and benefits to the entire community as well as to seniors living in Greenbelt. He felt that the community would be enriched if seniors, who might have to leave the community, would be able to stay and live in the new co-op housing. He said that Green Ridge House has been quite a success and has a long waiting list. The new co-op housing would have no income limit and would be available principally to current residents. Cassels specified that those who bought units would not benefit financially from this investment but that the intent was to provide affordable housing for those on retirement income.

Councilmember Antoinette Bram questioned the provision of city land for a private venture, raising potential concerns from precedent setting to possible liability. Councilmember Thomas X. White turned aside the question of precedence, saying that Greenbelt had already set what he deemed a good policy in providing public lands for schools, the library and other services. Leonie Penney objected to providing public land to build housing for financially able citizens.

Rodney Roberts and others spoke of competing services for city support, such as services for the homeless. Tony Pisano supported the proposal, saying that the city would retain ownership of the land under this proposal and that it was necessary to take action to provide homes for the fastest growing segment of the community — the elderly. Margaret Hogensen, Greenbelt Homes Inc. Board Member, said that many GHI residents are older and many are finding the stairs and yards too much to handle.

Question of Site

Other councilmembers and citizens addressed the advisability of the library parking lot site and this particular design. Under the current proposal, the senior co-op housing would be an 8-story building, including two stories of parking to provide spaces for library patrons and the housing residents and six stories of approximately 100 one- and two-bedroom units. In this particular site, several stories of the building would be below the surrounding buildings.

A number of people spoke of the need to locate the housing at the center of the city, near services and stores, and adjacent to the Community Center. Others objected to the site with concerns about congestion and park-

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The proposed senior co-op housing as it would appear if constructed on the library parking lot. This composite photograph was taken from inside the schoolyard on Crescent Road with the building drawn in. Two additional trees are shown to illustrate the landscaping required by county code if the project were constructed.

—photo by Greenhorne & O'Mara

Letters to the Editor

Appalled

Despite the interest in the community in the idea of environmental easements to protect our vanishing green space, the GHI Board of Directors is dragging 16 of its feet. At the GHI annual meeting the membership directed the board to set up a committee to explore the pros and cons of an environmental easement on their property.

The Board's first two actions were: (1) to appoint as chair of the committee a board member who has publicly spoken out against the idea, and (2) to expand the scope of the committee. Committee Chairman Freas, was reported in the **News Review** account of the GHI candidates' night as asking to keep the land under the present forestry management plan. Mr. Freas appears to be unconscious of the irony in his request that only "impartial candidates" be accepted to serve on the Woodlands Committee. By expanding the scope of the committee, the board is limiting the amount of time and attention available to specifically consider the easement. According to the Chair, the committee may not even meet until September! By appointing a hostile Chair, the Board may be depriving the membership of a full and fair presentation of the possibilities that an easement holds for their property.

The latest action of the Board only adds to my concern. In response to its advertisement in the **News Review** eight letters of application to the Woodlands Committee were received. Following a discussion of nearly an hour at the Board meeting on June 20, the nine board members restricted the Woodland Committee membership to seven, including Mr. Freas. The Board declined to provide a justification for the number seven when requested to do so. Given the fact that one of the themes of the GHI cooperative has been to encourage active participation by the membership, I personally find the actions of the Board, with respect to the Woodlands Committee, Byzantine. Frankly, I'm appalled.

Clara Kuehn

Open Letter

To the Residents of Greenbelt East:

As your Chief of Police, I have had the opportunity to speak to various community groups about the importance of citizen participation in the fight against crime. This commitment by the community makes possible the arrest of many criminal offenders within the city. For this reason, I would like to personally thank all of the citizens of Greenbelt East who were involved in the successful pursuit and apprehension of four auto theft suspects over the Memorial Day holiday, Monday, May 25. The arresting patrol officers made it a point to inform me personally of the outstanding service rendered by citizens in aiding the officers in almost every aspect of the incident.

The incident began when a Hunting Ridge resident stopped an officer on routine patrol to inform him of a vehicle occupied by four youths who appeared to be "crusing" the parking lot. In running a computer check on the tag number, the officer found that the vehicle had been stolen from Virginia. Within approximately one minute, six patrol cars, including a K-9 Unit, were in the area searching for the vehicle. After the vehicle was located, a high speed chase ensued which ended on Morrison Drive. The suspects fled the vehicle in an attempt to escape on foot. Nearby citizens indicated to arriving officers the direction the juveniles had run. A lengthy foot chase then began. Officers reported that during the foot chase, through every occupied backyard they ran through, citizens volunteered important directional information to the officers.

A number of residents took up the footchase along with the pursuing officers. This included a surprisingly fleetfooted Councilman Putens.

With this highly motivated citizen involvement and direct assistance from an off-duty Sheriff's Deputy and retired County officer, all four suspects were apprehended. The three juveniles and one adult were charged with felony auto theft and the stolen vehicle returned to its owner. Even after the arrest, citizens continued to assist officers by pointing out the general area where the suspects appeared to have tossed items while hidden from view from the pursuing officers. A search of the area by the K-9 Unit and patrol officers located a dent puller the suspects were believed to have had in their possession at the time of the incident. There is little doubt that these individuals would soon have found their next targets to be vehicles in Greenbelt East.

In this incident, through direct citizen involvement, stolen property was recovered, four suspects apprehended and a potential felony theft of vehicles from the City prevented. I applaud the actions of all the citizens involved in bringing this incident to a successful and safe end.

Recognition and continung thanks go out to all citizens involved in the different crime watch groups throughout the City and those individuals who take the initiative on their own to get involved. As this example clearly illustrates, you can make a difference.

James R. Craze
Chief of Police

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The News Review welcomes letters to the editor. They must be received before 9 p.m. Tuesday, be signed in handwriting (with the name also printed or typed) and bear the writer's address and phone number. Names will be withheld upon the request of the writer. If possible, letters should be typed double-spaced on one side of the paper. All letters are subject to editing for reasons of space, libel, taste, and clarity.

News Review Asks GEAC for News

by Pat Scully

Speaking at the May 2 meeting of the Greenbelt East Advisory Coalition (GEAC), Diane Oberg of the **Greenbelt News Review** asked for help in "finding better ways we can serve your communities. We need to know what the news is, and we need people to cover it."

While the **News Review** attempts to cover public meetings throughout the city, "we have trouble covering the human interest stories, events that aren't related to meetings," said Oberg. The newspaper needs to hear what's going on and what's of interest to people in the East. "Give us a call."

Communities that publish newsletters, such as Greenbriar and Hunting Ridge, provide the **News Review** with copies. Items of general city or human interest, and news events open to those outside the specific community are published in the city's paper.

Oberg asked the GEAC board members to encourage residents of their communities to call the **News Review** with information and stories, to write about events of interest and to come down to the **News Review** office.

Labukas Plaque

As a special July 4 presentation a plaque recognizing Eileen Labukas' long years of service to the city has been dedicated by the Greenbelt Recreation Department.

For the City Council Mayor Gil Weidenfeld and Donnie Wolfe, city recreation director from 1948 to 1955, coordinated the presentation.

Mrs. Labukas was the originator of the early Greenbelt Youth Center. She was active with the Greenbelt pool and organized the pool pageants among her many recreation department activities. Due to her efforts many recreation activities were initiated in early Greenbelt.

The Greenbelt Recreation Department continues to carry on the programs Mrs. Labukas created in the past and these programs will be continued in the future for Greenbelt Youth.

Businesses in Greenbelt are invited to send us their news

OFFICIAL NOTICE

The following meetings of the City Council will take place in July:

Monday, July 8	Council Work Session on Election	
8:00 p.m.	Procedures - Conference Room	
Wednesday, July 10	Council Work Session on Needs	
8:00 p.m.	Assessment for Parks and Recreation Facilities - Police Facility	
Monday, July 15	Regular Council Meeting	
8:00 p.m.	Council Room	

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, July 4th has been observed as INDEPENDENCE DAY since 1776 when the Continental Congress signed the Declaration of Independence, and John Adams said that July 4th should be commemorated thereafter with joyful celebration, and the firing of cannon and fireworks; and

WHEREAS, this July 4th the citizens and friends of this great community are gathered here at Greenbelt Lake not only to celebrate our nation's independence, but also to honor Greenbelt's military personnel who participated in Operation Desert Storm; and

WHEREAS, the people being honored tonight were taught by their families, by word and example, the values of freedom with responsibility, helping their friends and neighbors, volunteering and supporting worthwhile causes - which resulted in their becoming good citizens who decided to enlist and serve their country; and

WHEREAS, there has been a tradition here since the days of World War II when Greenbelt had the highest percentage of men in the military service of any town or city in the United States, that serving one's city and country is an honor and responsibility that must be accepted, if our freedom and independence are to be maintained; and

WHEREAS, it was deemed necessary to send American military personnel to the Persian Gulf to end the destructive aggression of Iraq - where legend places the Garden of Eden, where the first codes of law and civilization developed, but where there has been a history of terror, tyranny and brutal aggression for hundreds of years.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Gil Weidenfeld ,Mayor of the City of Greenbelt, by authority vested in me by the Council and the citizens of Greenbelt, hereby issue this Proclamation in appreciation to, and in honor of:

Andrew Cooley	Scott Fitzenreiter
Dennis Cantwell	Timothy Carte
Michael Bird	John Robinson
Jeffrey Morris	Joseph Niland
Jackie Schabe Rochefort	Robert Fike
Michael Kamosa	Edward Brunatti
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, to be affixed this 4th day of July, 1991.

GIL WEIDENFELD, Mayor

Dorothy Lauber, CMC

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original lease gave council no enforcement powers beside eviction, an action council was unlikely to take.

Other Actions

Council:

- Gave final approval to the capital improvements budget for fiscal year 1992.
- Transferred funds from reserves to balance the fiscal year 1991 budget. That fiscal year ended June 30. McLaughlin's written comments noted that this transfer is in accord with the FY91 budget, which allocated the funds to cover retirement payouts, reclassification of city employees and employee benefits. He said that total FY 91 expenditures were 5.5% below the originally budgeted amount.

City Notes

The streets crew continued to install the manhole and to blacktop Research Road. They also repaired the lake park path.

The special details crew painted traffic control lines, chipped brush, picked up roadside trash and assisted the Greenbelt Connection.

The parks crew mowed and maintained ballfields, playgrounds, and bus shelters.

The horticulturist's crew watered and cleaned flower beds and prepared information for a grant application.

Festival Notes

Carnival

All organizations and groups who had booths in the 1990 Labor Day Festival and those who have indicated an interest in having one this year should have received the booth application for this year's Carnival. The deadline for submitting the booth application is July 20. For an application form or more information contact J Davis 345-3241. J can also provide suggestions for those groups who wish to have a booth but have not yet identified an activity to undertake or type of refreshments to sell.

Miss Greenbelt Fundraiser

The 1991 Miss Greenbelt Pageant participants will hold a car wash at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, on Greenbelt Road, July 6, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Donations are requested for this fund-raiser to defray costs of the Pageant and Miss Greenbelt community activities. One last call for girls 14-19 to join the Pageant. Call Natasha Chavrid-Jewell, 345-0929.

Festival Committee Meeting

The Festival Committee will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, July 11 at the Greenbelt Library.

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ing. Several felt that the proposed number of parking spaces would be inadequate. Mary Linstrom expressed the view that the building was too tall in relation to surrounding structures and the style of the city.

Ray McCawley suggested that the proposal be evaluated on two levels: Is the housing proposal worthwhile and should the city pursue it and, if so, what site should be suggested? Mayor Gil Weidenfeld outlined a similar set of questions to be addressed in an upcoming city council meeting, a public hearing and possible referrals to advisory committees. He said that there are two sides to the issue and that council will need to gauge the sense of the community and would provide public forums to do so.

"Ironwood" Concert

The 1991 Summer Sounds Series continues with "Ironwood" on Sunday, July 7 at 8 p.m. at "Buddy" Attick Park. All residents and guests are welcome for an enjoyable evening.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Art Center Plans Benefit Art Show and Auction

The Greenbelt Arts Center joins forces with the nationally-advertised Heisman Fine Arts Gallery, Inc. to present a benefit art show and auction on Wednesday, July 17, at the Greenbelt Fire House, 125 Crescent Road starting at 7 p.m. For information call 441-8770.

The funds raised by this event will be used to augment the Arts Center's Facilities Development Fund. The admission price includes complimentary wine and hors d'oeuvres throughout the auction.

Featuring original oils, watercolors, sculptures, enamels, etchings, lithographs and other graphics, the auction will begin at 8 p.m. following a one-hour preview of the art. The majority of the art will have opening bids ranging from $50 to $125, providing the novice as well as the experienced collector ample opportunity to express their individual taste.

'New Playwrights' Group Forming

The Greenbelt Arts Center, through a grant from the Prince Georges Arts Council invites playwrights and performers to join a "New Playwrights" group to develop scripts and prepare them for the stage. The group will be headed by Dennis Jelalian, playwright and theatre technician. It is anticipated that this group will meet with playwrights and performers with the ultimate goal of one or more staged readings. Some modest stipend is available to cover reproduction and production expenses and standard royalties will be paid for the staged pieces. Anyone, playwright or performer, interested in this group is urged to call Mr. Jelalian at 301-654-2753 or the Arts Center line at 301-441-8770. In either case, leave name and number on answering machine and reference "New Playwrights".

CFG Meets July 11

The Citizens for Greenbelt will hold a meeting on Thursday, July 11 at 8 p.m. in the Municipal Building. The meeting topic is "Development of the Metro Site and Possible Environmental Impact." There will be several speakers including Joseph Phang, Area Planner Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission (MNCPPC); Bruce Hancock, Department of Transportation, MNCPPC; and Robert Boone, Executive Director, Anacostia Watershed Society.

Christmas in July

Christmas comes only once a year, or does it? The Mental Health Association of Prince Georges County (MHAPGC) sponsors a Christmas in July party for patients at Spring Grove State Hospital. The group will provide desserts, refreshments and gifts to patients on Wednesday, July 17 from 1:30-3:30 p.m.

MHAPGC needs contributions toward patient gift packages. Donations can be mailed to MHAPGC, 96 Harry Truman Drive, Largo, Md. 20772. Call 499-2107 for information.

Senior Citizens Trip To Fiddler on the Roof °

The Recreation Department will take senior citizens to see "Fiddler on the Roof" at the Burn Brae Dinner Theater. The story features a poor Jewish family forced to emigrate from Czarist Russia.

Any senior citizen interested in attending this Wednesday matinee must preregister at the Youth Center by July 10. Seats are limited. All seats are sold on a first come, first served basis. For information, call 475-6878.

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GEAC Discusses Recycling, Hears Development Update

by Pat Scully

James Foy, GEAC chair and Advisory Planning Board member, and Sheldon Goldberg, GEAC vice-chair and city council maven, shared with the other members of the GEAC board recent developments on a number of issues, including recycling, the Hanover Parkway/Glen Ora traffic light, Schrom Hills Park and proposed developments, at the May 2 meeting of the Greenbelt East Advisory Committee (GEAC).

Schrom Hills

Kettler Brothers has been selected to develop the park, with a bid of approximately $800,000. Since $1 million has been allocated for the park, items that had been postponed to keep costs down, primarily landscaping, will be restored to the scope of work.

The issue of primary interest remains the lake. According to Foy, city solicitor Bob Manzi has prepared all of the documents the county must submit to obtain the wetlands permit from the Corps of Engineers. However, "they've gotten tougher on wetlands," he warned, and the lake size will probably be reduced from the original plans. He predicted that there will be a 3- to 4-acre lake at the Hanover Parkway side of the original lake design, with a wetlands area at the northern, Greenbrook Village, end.

"If we can't have Schrom Hills Lake, can we at least have Schrom Hills stormwater management pond?" asked Dorothy Pyles plaintively. The stormwater management pond at the corner of Hanover Parkway and Ora Glen, which is supposed to be utilitarian, has attracted ducks and many other birds—a much better option than a "dry pond" or swampy wetland, she said.

She, as well as Katie Calder, asked if the wetlands would be improved or left in the current, unattractive state. They were concerned that, in the interests of preserving "natural wetlands," the swampy area would be left as is. This area, which was to give the buyers of the homes adjacent to it a lakeside view, flooded last spring, forcing dredging of an emergency trench to relieve stormwater build up.

Foy noted that the size of the lake is still in doubt and that "everything has to be designed, whether lake or wetland."

Traffic Light

The request for bids for construction of the Hanover Parkway/Ora Glen Drive light had been sent out, with responses due back May 14. The light has been designed to provide simultaneous, dedicated left-turn signals from Hanover Park Drive as well as Ora Glen.

(Editor's Note: At the June 3 work session City Director of Planning and Development said that construction is scheduled to begin June 17.)

Recycling

Charlene MacAdams, a member of the city's recycling committee, told the board that overall the recycling program was going well, although some individuals had questions. Some people wanted smaller bins. They find the larger bins hard to maneuver or have so little recyclable materials they don't need a bin that large.

Although the county earlier had issued smaller bins, no more would be ordered since plans call for expanding the scope of the program. Eventually more items will be recyclable, so that the larger bins will be more fully utilized.

MacAdams also reported that some GHI residents had petitioned the city to take over the recycling program. They feel the county reneged on its promise to pick up from GHI Homes' trash closets, since the bins must be placed outside the closets. They also felt the county had already prejudged the results of the "one-year experiment" to collect door-to-door in GHI when the county cited costs of picking up GHI homes as twice as high as the rest of the city. (Residents in single-family homes and the townhouses in Greenbelt East carry their bins to the curb in front of their houses or to the street at the end of their row.)

MacAdams noted that the county had to know the costs before collection began, since they were part of the contract with the recycling hauler. The county is willing to pay that extra cost. If, however, the cost escalates in the future and collection in GHI costs three times as much as collection in the rest of the city, the county may ask the city to help defray this extra cost.

Several members questioned whether, should this request ever be made, the entire city, rather than GHI, should bear additional expense so that GHI residents can have greater convenience than the rest of the city. "GHI is not the whole city of Greenbelt," said Goldberg.

Developments

Foy reported on the status of two pending new developments. The court date for the Sunrise Development zoning challenge has been postponed, because the attorney for Sunrise was ill. Construction of Greenbrook Manor, a Michael T. Rose townhouse and condominium community proposed for Hanover Parkway below Hunting Ridge, will not begin until fall at the earliest, apparently because of recession-induced problems with financing.

SPONG IS NEW LION PRESIDENT

by Stephanie Stoughton

Wayne Spong became the Greenbelt Lions Club's 41st president on June 8 at a dinner meeting at the Fountain Lodge at Springhill Lake, taking over from Jose Morales the outgoing president.

Spong, who has been a member of the Lions Club for four years, lives in Greenbelt with his wife, Ruth, and 5-year-old son, Michael. The University of Maryland graduate has resided in Greenbelt for 23 years and also is a member of the Greenbelt Parks and Recreation Advisory Board.

During his acceptance speech, he spoke of his goals for the Lions Club, which include attracting new members to help raise money for the blind, for the disabled, and for other projects.

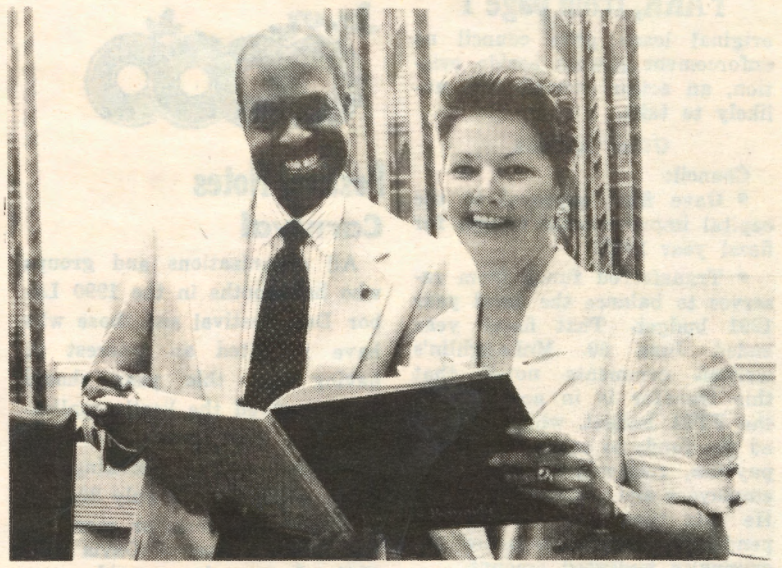
At the meeting, two Lions were awarded for outstanding service in the club. Dan Dambrauskas, chairman of the Health and Welfare Committee, received the Stan Hoke "Spirit of Lionism" award. Hank Irving's volunteer work earned him the "Lion of the Year" award.

"On Our Own"

The Mental Health Association of Prince Georges County offers a self-help group for adults who suffer from mental illnesses. The group, "On Our Own", is designed to offer participants an opportunity for fellowship, recreation and to voice their concerns about existing mental health services and public policy.

On Our Own will hold its monthly meeting on Saturday, July 6. The featured speaker will be Dr. Harold Eist, a psychiatrist from Montgomery County. Adults who suffer from mental illness are invited to share in the fellowship and enjoy the refreshments.

The meeting will be at Fogle Hall at the Cheverly United Methodist Church at 6 p.m. For information, call John Holbrook, (301) 499-2107.



Local Baha'i Serves On Auxiliary Board

James Sturdivant of Charlestowne Village received an official welcome to Bermuda from Ann Cartwright DeCouto, Acting Premier and Minister of the Environment. As Premier, DeCouto serves as an elected member of the Parliament and leader of the government.

A member of the Baha'i Faith, Sturdivant has been appointed to serve as a Baha'i Auxiliary Board member. He is assigned to assist in the education and enrichment of the Baha'i communities in the Northeast states from Maine south to Virginia and Bermuda and the Turks and Caicos Islands.

Sturdivant was attending the annual convention of the Baha'is of Bermuda for the election of the National Spiritual Assembly of the Baha'is of Bermuda, which will administer the Bermudian Baha'i Community for the next 12 months.

The Baha'i Faith is an independent world religion with followers in over 333 countries and territories of the world. It originated in Persia in 1844.

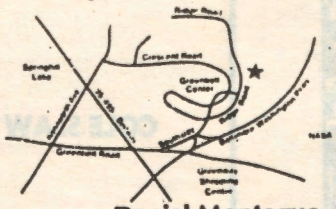
ST. JOHN'S CHURCH
Episcopal
Baltimore Blvd. at Powder Mill Rd.. Beltsville
9:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist
Rev. John G. Bals, Rector
937-4292

Baha'i Faith
"Do not look at thy weakness and impotence; nay, look at the power of thy Lord, which hath surrounded all regions."
—from the Baha'i Sacred Writings
Greenbelt Baha'i Community
P.O. Box 245
Greenbelt, MD 20770
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Catholic Community of Greenbelt
MASS
Municipal Building, Sundays, 10:00 A.M.

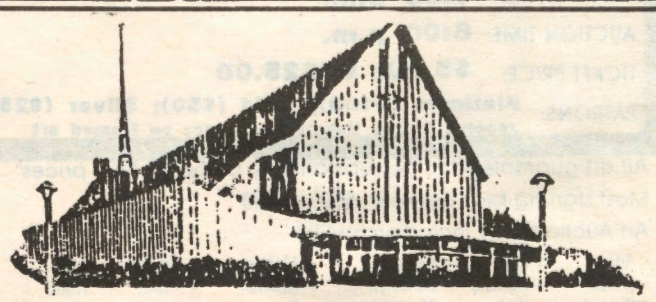
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For transportation questions, call 474-4212
8:30 AM - 12 PM
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11:00 A.M.
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Worship Services:
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Sunday School and Bible Classes 9:50 a.m.
Pre-School Department 9:50 and 11:15 a.m.
For information regarding programs for youth, young adults, singles, and senior citizens, please call the church office.
Edward H. Birner, Pastor 345-5111

Our Neighbors

by Linda Savaryn, 474-5285

Congratulations to Virginia Beauchamp of Maplewood Court for being appointed to the Prince Georges County Commission for Women. Virginia is a member of the News Review staff.

Marjory Donn of Woodland Way recently attended the 30th annual General Assembly of the Unitarian Universalist Association held in Hollywood, Florida from June 20 to 25. She joined over 2,000 other Unitarian Universalists who participated in workshops, practica, business meetings and workshop services.

Following the assembly, Donn visited her mother for a week in Ormond Beach, Florida.

Elizabeth A. and Mary Frances Heaney, both of Olivewood Court, were named to the president's list for the spring semester at James Madison University. Mary Frances also received her bachelor of science degree. Congratulations.

Congratulations to two Frostburg State University students, James Joseph Cooney III and Karen L. Sutherland, for being named to the dean's list for the spring semester. James is the son of Jim and Cass Cooney of Ridge Road; Karen is the daughter of Douglas and Ann Sutherland of Lakeside Drive.

Patrick Hatcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hatcher, Periwinkle Court, was named a Dana scholar at Dickinson College (Carlisle, Pa.) for his superior academic achievement and demonstrated leadership in the college community.

Mazel Tov and congratulations to Rachel Derin, who is graduating from the Eleanor Roosevelt Science and Technology Program. Rachel, a National Honor Society member, Swim Team co-captain, Spanish Honor Society member, and Student Government representative, ranks in the top 5 percent of the graduating class. She was one of 17 who had a GPA of 4.0 or greater. She will be attending the University of California, Berkeley, in the fall with the intention of pursuing a career in medicine. Our hearty congratulations to you, Rachel.

Former Greenbelt resident Colette Zanin graduated summa cum laude from Towson State with a degree in interdisciplinary studies. Her major, human studies, was self-designed and encompassed six liberal arts disciplines.

April F. Pollock received a master of science degree from Western Maryland College.

Samuel Lee Carroll graduated from the Institute of Applied Agriculture, University of Maryland, College Park. He completed his studies in golf course management with high honors and will continue to work at Northwest Park Golf Course.

Congratulations to all of Greenbelt's graduates!

This has been a very good year for Heather Thompson of Ora Glen Court. A student in the humanities and international studies magnet program at Central High School in Capital Heights, Heather's success began last November when she was elected to Central's homecoming court; this spring she was inducted into the Sociedad Nacional Hispanica, Spanish Honor Society, and the National Honor Society, and earned two awards for excelling in Spanish V and Algebra II. She was also accepted into the International Baccalaureate program. Heather currently maintains a 4.0 G.P.A.

The daughter of Judith and Derek Thompson, Heather has been a satisfied Greenbelter for most of her 15 years. Her dog Pom Pom has also been a satisfied resident, having won many ribbons in the Greenbelt Labor Day Pet Show over the years.

Sarah Brettell, a junior at Suitland High School, has received a full-tuition, room and board scholarship to attend the Marie Walsh Sharpe Art Foundation Summer Seminar at Colorado College, Colorado Springs. This seminar offers an intensive visual art studio program for gifted high school juniors.

It's a boy for Cheryl and Bob Rudd of Pinecrest Court. Their first child, Robert George Rudd, was born May 23 at Holy Cross Hospital weighing 8 lb., 12 oz.

Teresa F. Williams, a senior majoring in management at St. Francis College in Loretto, PA, was named to the dean's list for the spring semester. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Williams, Crescent Road.

Martha Louise Unger of Lakeside Dr. received a bachelor of arts degree from Northern Illinois University where she majored in anthropology. Her parents are John and Pat Unger, Lakeside Drive.

Greenbelt CARES

The Youth and Family Services Bureaus of Prince Georges County held a second meeting in the CARES offices recently. The Bureau directors are preparing a report which will be presented to the County Commission for Families Board of Directors, detailing services, both required and ancillary, referral rates, and sources of revenue.

An average of 13 families a week participated in regular, scheduled counseling during June. Forty-three individuals were involved, 37% children and youth under 18 years of age. Weekly tutoring sessions in reading, math and English were provided to 58 students.

GREENBELT RECREATION DEPARTMENT

474-6878

1991 Daily Summer Children's Classes

The second registration of the 1991 Daily Summer Children's Classes, will be held on Saturday, July 6th, 9 am - 11 am and Monday, July 8th, 9:30 am - 10:30 am at the Greenbelt Youth Center. This is an in-person registration on a first come, first served basis only. By phone, registrations accepted 11:30 - 12 noon on a space available basis only on Monday, July 8th. Classes will be held Tuesday through Friday for two weeks beginning Tuesday, July 9th. Classes cancelled due to inclement weather will NOT be made up. Registration for the third session will be held July 20th and 22nd.

ACTIVITIES	TIME	AGE	FEES Resident	FEES Non-Resident
Archery	10:30a	8-15 yrs.	$15	$20
Arts & Crafts	2:30p	3- 5 yrs.	FREE	
	2:00p	6-12 yrs.	FREE	
Chucks & Lassies - Tue & Thu Group games. Physical Fitness Program for Boys and Girls	10:30a	6-12 yrs.	FREE	
Gymnastics	1:45p	3- 5 yrs.	$15	$20
	2:30p	6-12 yrs.	$15	$20
Tennis	9:30a	8 & Over	$15	$20

SWIMMING LESSONS

ONLY GREENBELT RESIDENTS AND NON-RESIDENT PASS HOLDERS ARE ELIGIBLE TO REGISTER ON SATURDAY, JULY 6TH. NON-RESIDENTS WITHOUT PASSES WILL BE ACCEPTED ON SPACE AVAILABLE BASIS ONLY ON MONDAY, JULY 8th.

Aqua Babies	11:30a	6-18 mos	$20	$25
Aqua Tots Beginners	10:45a	18mo-5yrs	$20	$25
Aqua Tots Advanced	10:00a	18mo-5yrs	$20	$25

Each child must be accompanied by someone 18 yrs. or over in all Aqua Lessons.

Beginners, Advanced Beginners, Intermediate, Swimmers scheduled on program availability		5 yrs. & Over	$20	$25

ADULT - JUST FOR THE HEALTH OF IT

Businessmen's Lunch/Lap Swimming Swim Tuesday thru Friday 7-8am & 12 noon-12:50pm		16 & Over	$40/season or	$2.00/day

FREE GREENBELT SENIOR MONDAY SWIM PARTY

Fun and fitness program — lap swimming, water exercise, deck walking, socializing and pot luck lunches. Mondays, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm. Non-Residents, $1.00/per day.

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Monday through Thursday

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Options, Consequences in Setting Swim Pool Fees Spark Debate

by Diane Oberg

Preparations for operating the indoor pool are moving into higher gear as opening day nears. As a first step, the Greenbelt City Council, at its June 24 regular meeting, established the schedule of fees for the indoor/outdoor pool complex.

According to Director of Planning and Development Celia Wilson, Kettler Brothers expects the pool to be completed on or near September 1. After that date the city will begin a period of inspection and training. Under the "punch list" procedure, city staff will conduct a complete inspection of the facility, including thoroughly testing all mechanical components. The contract holds the company responsible for fixing any problems occurring during the first year of operation.

Opening Day

In a phone conversation, Wilson said she would be "very surprised" if the pool does not open by October 1. She expressed satisfaction that Kettler has recovered the time lost during earlier stages of construction. She held out hope, in fact, that the pool could open well before October 1.

According to Recreation Supervisor George Rogala, the recreation department expects to hire two aquatics coordinators in early August. These positions are managerial. The full-time staff and life guards cannot be trained until there is water in the pool. However, Rogala stressed that all training will be completed during the punch list phase and that "Whenever Kettler does say that we can have the building, we will be ready to open the facility."

Pool Fees

There was little discussion at the June 24 meeting of fees for Greenbelt residents. Staff and council had agreed upon those fees at an April 29 worksession. Considerable debate took place, however, over whether nonresident fees should be set relatively high to recognize tax contributions of residents or somewhat lower to attract more people and increase revenues. In the end, council raised most of the nonresident rates above the staff recommendation, but reduced the nonresident family rates. (See box.)

Indoor/Outdoor Pool Fees

	Annual	Summer	9-month
Resident:			
Single	130	65	100
Family	270	135	205
Senior	65	35	50
Nonresident			
Single	180	100	140
Family	325	195	275
Senior	130	70	100
Employee			
Single	65	0	N/A
Family	135	25	N/A

The city prices a single pass as just under 50% of the family pass rate. This contrasts with current county family rate of 67% more than the single rate. Thus single passes in Greenbelt will be a better buy, relative to county pools, than the family passes. The county staff has now proposed a $25 increase in all pool rates, resulting in a family membership which would cost 58% more than the individual rate.

Councilmember Joseph Isaacs, although absent, left comments arguing for higher nonresident rates. Councilmembers Thomas X. White and Edward Putens concurred. White opposed the rates recommended by the city staff, which proposed no increase in nonresident rates for the summer season while increasing resident summer rates. Putens argued for higher nonresident rates, since residents are paying much of the cost through their taxes.

Councilmember Antoinette M. Bram and Mayor Gil Weidenfeld were cautious about raising rates so high that nonresidents would go to county pools. Bram thought the city should "prime the pump" with the rates recommended by staff to encourage nonresident participation. After a few years, she said, the city could consider whether to increase these fees, relative to resident rates. She was concerned, however, that the proposed rates would encourage more single than family nonresident participation.

Weidenfeld worried that if the nonresident rates were too high relative to other nearby pools, nonresidents would go elsewhere and residents have to pay more. Higher rates, he said, would not generate a lot of revenue to the city but could discourage nonresidents from even trying out the Greenbelt pool.

Recreation Review

Noontime Lap Swimming

Adult lap swimming is offered at the municipal pool. Tues. thru Fri. between noon and 12:50 p.m. There is a nominal fee. Call 474-6878 for details.

Discount Amusement Park Tickets

The Rec. Depart. is selling discount tickets to Kings Dominion, Hershey Park, Wild World, Busch Gardens, Dorney Park, Great Adventure, and Sesame Place.

Tickets may be purchased at the Youth Center, Monday-Friday, 10-4 p.m. Payment by cash only. For information, call 474-6878.

First Aid Class

Class will be held at the Youth Center on Tues & Thurs., July 16-18 from 7-10:30 p.m. There is a book fee.

To pre-register, call the Business Office, weedays 9-4:30 p.m. at 474-6878.

Tennis Courts

Use of the tennis courts 1-6 at Braden Field will be by permit only on July 6-7, during the Greenbelt Tennis Association's July 4th Tournament.

Drop In Basketball

On Wednesday evening from 7:30-10 p.m. at the Springhill Lake Recreation Center. Call 345-2770 for information.

Learn Pickle Ball

Every Friday morning at 9 a.m. the Recreation Department will offer senior citizens the opportunity to learn and play Pickle Ball. Pickle Ball is a racquet sport, a combination of tennis and badminton. Anyone interested in practicing and/or learning the game should come out to the tennis courts on Friday mornings. Tony Pisano will lead the group on July 5. For information call 474-6878.

Honors Assembly At Center School

Several merchants attended Center School's honor roll assembly on June 10. The merchants represented businesses which had contributed free gifts for gold cards which students who received all A's had received and silver cards for those who had received all B's.

Those achieving all A's were 1st grade: Kristel Foerter, Ben Kepler, Joe Pugliese and Julia Snyder; 2nd grade: Andrew Phelan, Tanishia Butler, Nelson DaSilva, Brandi Roscoe and Sabrina Smith; 3rd grade: Brigitte Lippert; 4th grade: Shelly Shupp, Ashlee Wilkins, Niteroi Coe, Ashlee Dial and Terra Phelan; 5th grade: Eric Silverman, Anthony Than, Dana Ford, Ellen Gervasi, Camille Lewis, Shahrzad Mirshahi, Katie Lee and Kristina Zugby; 6th grade: Tony Byrd, Crystal Myers, Leann Miller, Melissa Barber, William Fineran, Adrian Finney, Antonio Fominaya, Shante Ford, Heather Hart, T. J. Lubey, Lori Mankulish, James Parks, Katy Roberts, Megan Thomas, Jeff Timer, Karim Fadli, Jason Ford, Cheri Lampkins and Maureen Leddy.

Over 150 students earned all B's and Citizenship Awards.

Best class attendance awards for the entire year went to: grade 1, Mrs. Foman's class; grade 2, Mrs. Anderson and Ms. Coyle; grade 3, Mrs. West; grade 4, Mrs. Burch; grade 5, Mrs. Sutton and grade 6, Miss Marino and Mrs. Sturgill.

Swim Meet

The Greenbelt Swim Team will have its first home swim meet on Saturday, July 6 at 9 a.m. Spectators are welcome. The Greenbelt swimming pool will open at the end of the meet, approximately at 1 p.m.

Little League Standings
as of 6/29

	W	L
Lions	13	4
Indians	12	4
Giants	11	4
Athletics	10	5
Cubs	5	11
Orioles	3	13
Cards	1	14

ST. HUGH'S CHAMPIONS

The 1991 St. Hugh's Junior Boys Tournament Baseball Team finished the regular season with a perfect 8 and 0 record, and went on to win two tournament games to become the 1991 CYO Champions for their division. Playoff games included a victory over St. Philip's in the first round and the defeat of friendly arch-rival St. Joseph's in the championship game to capture the trophy.

Led all year by solid pitching from Buddy Humphreys, Kenny Barron and Kevin Eley, coupled with an airtight infield anchored by Brady Smith at first-base, solid catching by Sean Sparks, and a fleet outfield of Terry Hillery, Billy Keen and Nick Skelly, the team handled all opposition defensively.

Offensive power was supplied by Craig May, whose second inning homerun in the title game started the St. Hugh's team off to a big inning, breaking the game open.

The 1991 champs: Kenny Barron, Timmy Dayton, Kevin Eley, David Gorman, Terry Hillery, Buddy Humphreys, Billy Keen, Mike Kirwan, Craig May, Matt Payne, Nick Skelly, Brady Smith and Sean Sparks.

Nursery School Adopts Financial Aid Program

In May 1991 the membership of the Greenbelt Nursery School and Kindergarten Inc. adopted a financial aid program to assist parents with limited financial resources with school tuition payments. The program is designed to attract a more diverse student body. It will also help to accommodate the single, working parent. Financial aid will be available next year—if funds are available—to commemorate the school's fiftieth year of operation.

Although the school's tuition has been kept low because parents are expected to assist teachers in the classrooms and work on committees, the school has still been beyond the means of many.

Previously, financial assistance was limited to those willing and able to perform jobs of vital importance to the school. The school's president, treasurer and membership chairperson receive annual stipends to defray their tuition costs. Work scholarships have also existed for those willing to help maintain the building, provide clerical support, or prepare materials for classes.

The school's commitment to meeting the changing needs of our community and its families is also reflected in two other recent school actions. The first is the adoption of a non-coop option for parents who cannot miss work to be in a child's class. The other is the school's application to be included in the planned Center School community center. This would allow the school to expand its part-time nursery school program to provide full-time care to those needing it.

Workzone Speeding Brings Hefty Fine

Motorists convicted of speeding in specially designated highway work zones found themselves paying stiffer penalties as of July 1.

That's the date when fines for speeding through work zones doubled because of a bill passed during the last session of the legislature and signed into law by Governor William Donald Schaefer. Violators stand to lose between $250 and $1,000 for each offense.

Work areas affected by the new law will be marked with special signs, which indicate to drivers that speeding fines are double.

THE CITY OF GREENBELT

WANTED Lifeguards & Instructors

The City of Greenbelt is now accepting applications and hiring lifeguards and water safety instructors for the new indoor pool upcoming season.

The lifeguard applicant must be a minimum of 16 years of age and possess one of the following: a current Red Cross Advanced Lifesaving or Lifeguard Training Certification.

The instructor applicant must be a minimum of 17 years of age and possess a current Red Cross Water Safety Instructor Certification.

For further information call the Greenbelt Recreation Center Monday thru Friday, 9:00-4:30 p.m. at 474-6878.

County Schools Hold "Fight" Workshops

The Division of the Pupil Services of the Prince Georges County Public Schools will conduct a series of workshops for parents and students entitled "Student Fights: Causes and Solutions." On Tuesday, July 23, a workshop will be held at Eleanor Roosevelt High School from 2 to 3:30 p.m.

The workshops are designed to examine, for both parents and students the causes of and practical solutions to fighting. While students are discussing meaningful options to fighting and learning to develop conflict resolutions skills, their parents will be instructed in parenting skills that will enable them to assist their children in making a smooth adjustment to school.

Students need not be accompanied by a parent to attend this workshop.

Parents who are unable to attend a workshop may arrange for an individual appointment with a Pupil Personnel Worker to discuss student fights, their causes and solutions.

To register, parents should call one of the following numbers 336-5584, 336-8302 or 336-8304.

"Mirror, Mirror" Shines at Center

Mirror, Mirror," a musical fairy tale, was presented by members of the 5th and 6th grade classes of Center School to the entire school body and again to parents and friends. The main characters were: Queen, Megan Thomas; King, Billy Finneran; Snow White, Crystal Myers; Woodsman Prince in disguise, David Fetrow; Elf Queen, Kristina Zugby; Elf, Kelly Carnot; Merlin, the Magician, Timmy Smith; Star Search, M. C. Tony Thomas; Cameraman, Jeff Timer; and Band Manager, Willie Davis.

Guards, troubadors, jesters, bands, magic mirrors, forest creatures, and townspeople rounded out the cast. Songs began and ended the production. Bands set the beat. Music was the main ingredient of a fantasy that combined some parts of a well known tale with imaginative differences.

The show was directed by vocal music teacher, Wilma Vazquez.

It's not too late to see "Mirror, Mirror." Check the News Review for the date, it will be shown on Channel B-10.

After School Clubs Show Their Expertise

Members of some of the after-school clubs at Center School, performed at a short after-school program June 10.

Sharing the program were members of the baton club who twirled batons under the direction of their instructor, Kelly Baird. Baton twilers were: Wiletta Bailey, Jessica Barton, Tanishia Butler, Niteroi Coe, Ebony Hart, Niki Herbert, Erika Kelly, Ebony Lee, Donnita Lyons, Stephanie Morgan, Dana Raines, Sabrina Smith, Denise Thompkins, Yolanda Watson and Valencia Graham.

Cheerleaders coached by Debra Kendall gave peppy routines. Dressed in green and wearing green and white pompoms were: Grace Gyemfi, Tammy Smith, Diondra Hall, Monique Holmes, Seneca Pappas, Nicole Payne, Angela Simms, Laverne White, Yolanda Washington, Monika Wells, Rosalyn Woods, Donna Leggett, Jennifer Morgan and Abby Lawton.

Modeling summer blouses they had made were Beverly Pitts and Ronea Posey. Janie Russell taught the dressmaking club.

"The Haunted House", a play about ghosts and robbers, was enacted by the drama club.

The cast included Loren Derise, Nakul Jathar, Gloria Lefchick, Kati Monke, Michael Monke, Ashley Waters, Alicia Saunders, Jennifer Yettou and Demetrius Valentine.

Props were made by Debra Kendall and Sharon Lefchick, assisted by Gloria Lefchick, Loren Derise, Alicia Saunders, Diondra Hall and Jennifer Morgan. Director was Barbara Likowski.

Three thespians from Eleanor Roosevelt high school, all former Center students, coached the children, Lynne Tucker (who was also narrator), Shayna Skolnik and Amy Kerfoot.

At the Library

Wednesday, July 10, 2 p.m.— Summer Quest. Meet astronaut Ron Parise. Ages 6-12.

Thursday, July 11, 11 a.m.— Drop-In Storytime. Ages 3-5.

ONE TO EIGHT SCHOOL NEWS

by Robert T. Levine

Magnolia

The following Greenbelters are on the academic honor roll at Magnolia Elementary School for getting all A's and B's on their report cards: Bonita Brooks, Sung Choi, Maritza Cumbo, Melanie Elam, Eric Eskandari, Katherine Patsas, and Young-Sun Yang.

Springhill Lake

Greenbelters Michael Caulfield, Rosina Hahanna, Jackie Henney, and Carlos Queen were presented with the American Legion Award for citizenship at Springhill Lake Elementary School's Awards Assembly.

Other awards given were: the Dorothy Marvel Award - Demont Pinder and Georgia Keane; the Delauter-Mulvey Award for the most likable student - Sean Prue; the Greenbelt Lions Outstanding Patrol Award - Kimberly Nelson; the Ethel B. Golden Reading Award - Tim Snyder; the Stanley J. Klein Human Relations Award - Demechiel Scatterwhite; the Susan Munson Media Award - Sabrina Marshall and Abetoun Olunlade; and the Outstanding Attendance Award - Rheamaun Faid and Acolia Gray.

Shagi Vheng won the Commission of Youth and Children Award for the most improved student.

Presidential Academic Fitness awards went to Autumn Moreland, Latoya Thornton, Bonnie Lapelosa and Veronica Martin.

Greenbelt Middle

At the Greenbelt Middle School the American Legion Award for Citizenship went to Michael Stern and Jenelle Beale. Neysan Sturdivant won the Knapp Award. Kathy Chu won the Principal's Award.

Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed for the American Heart Association (AHA) Greenbelt - Seabrook - Lanham Schoolsite Committee to promote heart health education in the Greenbelt-Seabrook-Lanham area. Also they will act as area spokespersons and recruit schools to participate in AHA sponsored activities and programs for the purpose of reducing disability and death due to heart diseases.

People should be able to volunteer three hours a month. Contact Phillip Robinson or Steven Gregg at (301) 856-2325.

ERHS Student John Hilbert Wins Alfred Skolnik Award

by Elaine Skolnik

John Hilbert III received the Alfred M. Skolnik Memorial award at ceremonies at Eleanor Roosevelt High School on May 21. A 15-year resident of Greenbelt, the graduate later was the recipient of the Thomas Ewing Memorial Scholarship given by the Washington Post.

Hilbert resides at the Lakeside North Apartments with his mother Patricia Perry and grandmother Mary Perry. In the fall he will attend Western Maryland College in Westminster where he plans to major in broadcast journalism.

At Roosevelt Hilbert was on the staff of the school newspaper "Raider Review." For two years he served as sports writer and as a senior he was the publication's business manager. His favorite subject over the years was history.

"It will be hard to leave Greenbelt in the fall, . . . It's a great city with good people," he said, adding that he enjoyed working at the Labor Day Festival as a volunteer in the Lion's Club Booth in 1989 and at the information booth last year.

Hilbert attended local schools — John Carroll and North End Elementary, Greenbelt Middle and Roosevelt High.

The Thomas Ewing Memorial Scholarship award was given to Hilbert by the Washington Post. Ewing served as the newspaper's circulation manager for 26 years.

A Washington Post carrier for several years, Hilbert speaks with affection and gratitude about Douglas Gepert, the distributor for the Greenbelt area.

"For about eight years Doug wakes up in the early hours of the morning to make sure this area's papers get out. . . . He has helped me, I'm going to miss him," notes Hilbert who credits his mom and Gepert with instilling in him "good work ethics." He also expresses his thanks for friends who have supported him over the years.

Alfred M. Skolnik Memorial Award

This award is given in memory of Alfred Skolnik, who for 23 years was among the volunteer staff members of the Greenbelt News Review. From 1959 until his death in 1977 he was the unsalaried president of the newspaper and a senior reporter.

Dr. Skolnik stressed the role of the newspaper in providing a forum for the exchange of views and believed strongly in freedom of the press.

When an agry developer sued the Greenbelt News Review in 1966, he responded with courage, vigor and perseverance. He was one of the very few who came face to face with a serious challenge to a basic freedom that people take for granted in this country.

Supported by the community, the newspaper and Dr. Skolnik were vindicated when the United States Suprme Court in a unanimous verdict ruled in favor of the newspaper.

Roosevelt News

by Robert T. Levine

Greenbelt resident Kelly Simpson won third place in an essay contest sponsored by the Capital Area Division of the United Nations Association of the United States of America. The topic was: "The UN's Role in Combatting Illicit Drug Trafficking and Drug Abuse." Kelly won a $50 bond as her prize.

The ERHS Child Development classes sponsored the ninth annual Write-A-Book Contest. In the Illustrated Fiction category, Greenbelt resident Jonathan Schachter won first place and Angel Otero and Charles Reuter collaborated to win third place. Nora Payne won third place in the Picture Book category.

Many Greenbelt residents were honored at the 15th annual ERHS Awards assembly on May 21. Narajanan Kannappan was named a National Merit Scholarship finalist. To qualify he had to attain superior scores on the PSAT last year and be recommended by the school. Nicole Turner was given a National Achievement Scholarship, awarded to African-American seniors attaining superior scores on the PSAT last year.

Ian Barrow won a PTSA Scholarship. Erica Mardis won the Freedom Award, presented to the junior showing the greatest academic improvement in one year.

The Alfred M. Skolnik Memorial Award, presented to a senior residing in Greenbelt contributing to journalism and writing, was given to John Hilbert. Kimberlee Garland was awarded the David Craig Memorial Scholarship, awarded to a senior demonstrating academic, religious, and community values. This award was given in memory of Greenbelter David Craig.

DeWaun Booker was honored by the Sons of the American Revolution which is given to a junior for demonstrating achievement, patriotism, leadership, and character.

The following Greenbelters won departmental awards: Yael Tzemach for social studies; Daniel Bodner for Art; and Lisa Burton for sign language.

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Greenbelt's Business

Insurance Employees Awarded Top Honor

Stephen N. Barr and Dr. C. R. Krishnamoorthy, employees of Metropolitan Life Insurance Company in Greenbelt, were recognized for outstanding sales achievement by senior officers of the company at a five-day business and educational seminar that was held at The Scottsdale Princess in Scottsdale, Arizona in mid-April.

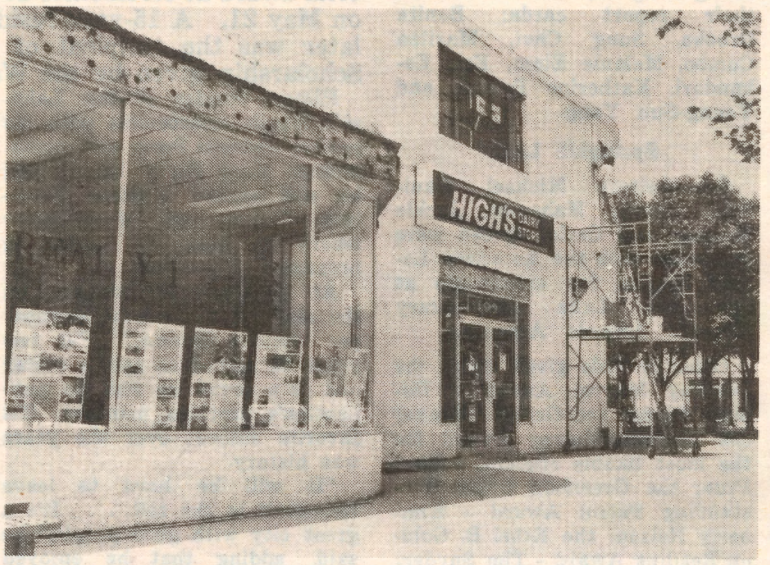
Barr, account representative for Metropolitan's Capitol Branch Office located at 6401 Golden Triangle Drive, qualified for this year's President's Conference by placing more than $15 million in personal insurance protection during 1990. This ranked him among the top one and one-half percent of the company's more than 14,000 sales people in the United States and Canada.

Dr. Krishnamoorthy qualified for this year's President's Conference by placing more than $16 million in personal insurance protection during 1990. This ranked him as the leading rookie agent in the company's Chesapeake Region and among the top one and one-half percent overall of the company's more than 14,000 sales people in the United States and Canada.

Metro Honors Smith

The Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority today honored 15 employees who received the General Manager's Award for Excellence at the ninth annual WMATA Employee Awards Ceremony at Lisner Auditorium, George Washington University. Among the winners was Greenbelter James Smith, a crime prevention officer in the Office of Transit Police and Security. Through crime prevention surveys, he provides security information that ultimately helps to reduce crimes against Metro property, empolyees, revenue and passengers. He also reviews blueprints and makes security recommendations before construction begins.

Officer Smith also promotes crime prevention through educational programs such as the Metro Awareness Program. His successful crime prevention efforts in recent years led to special recognition of the Metro Transit Police by the governors of Maryland and Virginia.



Up on the scaffold, a worker repairs the exterior of the High's store in the Roosevelt Center. — photo by J. Henson

Parcel Plus Opens In Greenway Center

Parcel Plus, Inc. continues to expand in the Baltimore/Washington area. The forty-second Parcel Plus franchise opened in early June at Greenway Center. It is owned and operated by John Lowe, of Laurel, and Gary Jaccobs of Silver Spring.

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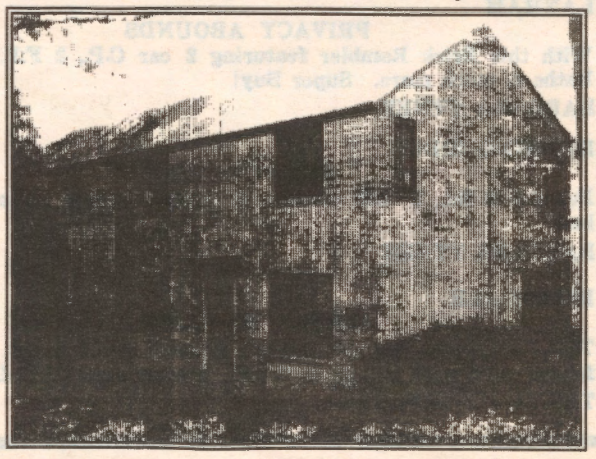
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On June 25, six to eight 13- and 14-year-old females blocked the path of two other females on Ora Glen Drive and kicked them and hit them and then ran away.

A 52-year-old nonresident male was arrested and charged with common law assault and reckless endangerment on June 27 after he had set fire to debris inside a house on Research Road during a domestic dispute. He is also accused of pointing a handgun at his victim. He appeared before a District Court Commissioner and was released on $500 bond pending trial.

A 23-year-old resident male was arrested for indecent exposure on June 25 shortly after he was seen exposed, sitting in the hallway of a building in the 9000 block of Edmonston Road. He was released on personal recognizance pending trial.

Two thefts were reported from office suites in the 7500 block of Greenway Center Drive: On June 21 a lap-top computer was reported stolen. On June 27, a color TV and a VCR were reported stolen; entry had been forced.

Shortly before midnight on Wednesday, June 26, a 27-year-old male was found with serious facial injuries in front of 6004 Springhill Dr. Anyone with information regarding this assault is asked to call the Greenbelt Police Department at 475-7200.

A 39-year-old nonresident male was arrested for theft under $300 during a traffic stop.

On June 22 a silver 1989 Dodge van, MD tags 315218M, was reported stolen from the 5900 block of Cherrywood Terrace. On June 24 a white with burgundy stripe 1989 Dodge van, MD tags 300-674M, was reported stolen from a parking lot in the 6400 block of Golden Triangle Drive. On June 26 a four-door 1988 Oldsmobile was stolen from the 7700 block of Hanover Pkwy. and later recovered. On June 27 a brown two-door 1983 Dodge Charger, DC tags 419-635, was reported stolen from northbound Route 201 at 195; it had been left there disabled the previous day.

Vandalism to, thefts from, and attempted thefts of autos were reported in the following areas: Beltway Plaza, the 6100 block of Breezewood Court, the 7500 block of Greenway Center Drive, the 6900, 7700 and 7800 blocks of Hanover Pkwy., the 6400 block of Ivy Lane, the 7800 and 7900 blocks of Mandan Road, the 6200 block of Springhill Drive, the 9200 block of Springhill Lane, and the 7800 block of Walker Drive.

Man Faces Charges In SHL Assault

Rodney Terence Campfield, 25-year-old resident male, was arrested and charged with assault with intent to murder, reckless endangerment, and carrying a handgun after he was seen shooting a .380 caliber semi-automatic handgun at two men in a vehicle in the 9100 block of Springhill Lane on June 27. The two men were investigated and released. Campfield appeared before a District Court Commissioner and was held on $25,000 bond pending trial.

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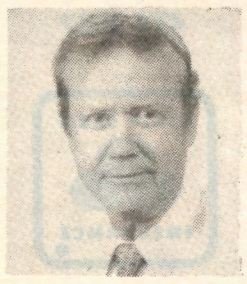
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